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DECISION

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In re Application of

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ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

This decision is in response to applicants' "Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182" filed 16 June 2005. Applicants are requesting to correct the transmittal letter filed on 28 March 2005.

Applicants state in the present petition that, "this was a National Phase filing of the subject PCT application under 35 U.S.C. 371. The transmittal letter at page 1, item 2, states an incorrect International Filing Date of 03 October 2003." Based on applicants' transmittal letter, the international filing date for PCT/JP03/12662 was entered into PALM database as 03 October 2002. However, a review of the published international application reveals that the international filing date for PCT/JP03/12662 is 02 October 2003. Therefore, the request to correct the transmittal letter filed on 28 March 2005 is granted.

The application is being returned to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) for processing in accordance with this decision and correcting PALM database to indicate that 10/529,392 is a national stage entry of PCT/JP03/12662 filed 02 October 2003.

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